

Application No. 10/559,097  
Amendment dated December 11, 2010  
In Reply to Office Action of October 13, 2010  
Attorney Docket No. 4559-053584

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No. : 10/559,097  
Applicants : SANZ MOLINERO, Ana Isabel et al.  
Filed : September 19, 2006  
Title : Transgenic Monocotyledonous Plants Overexpressing a NHX  
Protein and Having Improved Growth Characteristics and  
Methods for Making the Same  
Art Unit : 1638  
Examiner : Vinod Kumar  
Confirmation No. : 1132  
Customer No. : 76809

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**AMENDMENT**

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action of October 13, 2010, Applicants submit the following amendments and remarks.

**The Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2.

**Remarks** begin on page 4 of this paper.